

APPETIZERS.

The Origin.

A fight between two prominent Memphis business men originated in this way: Cagle: "The first case of yellow fever that developed in this city was a negro woman at my house." Boile: "No, the first case was a negro boy at my house." C.: "You are mistaken." B.: "I tell you that I know." C.: "I ought to know, for I was there." B.: "Reckon I was there." C.: "I don't it. You ran away before the alarm was given." B.: "Who did?" C.: "You did." B.: "Liar!" C.: "Liar!" Note in daily paper: "The firm of Cagle & Boyle, so well and favorably known in this city, has dissolved by mutual consent. The strongest friendship existed between the two partners, and the dissolution took place in the best of good humor." Local paragraph: "Yes, it was while the Hon. Peter Cagle was going down to the cellar, he fell over an obstruction, struck a barrel, and blacked one of his eyes; and, singular to relate, shortly afterward Colonel Boyle slipped on the sidewalk and seriously bruised his nose. At the present writing both gentlemen are doing well, and will, we trust, be out again in a few days."—[Arkansas Traveler.

An Experienced Editor.

"Ah," said the summer tourist, leaning over the fence and addressing the farmer, "may I make bold to inquire what that great quantity of green vegetation growing over there is?" "Certainly, mister; that's corn." "Ah, hanks. And those large animals over the fence, they are—?" "Cows, my friend, every one of 'em cows. Now, you don't seem to be very well posted on these 'ere things." "Perhaps not. The fact is, my business has kept me so closely confined that this is the first chance I've had to go out in the country." "Running a bank or something like that?" "No, sir, I am editor of an agricultural paper. I have held that position for thirty years."—[Estelline Bell.

Perishing Clouds.

Little Dollie asked his mamma if he could go out in the yard and play, to which his mother replied that he could not, as it was raining. Looking out of the window a few minutes afterward, he said: "Mamma, the rain don't rain any more." "But the ground is wet, Dollie," was the reply, "and it is still very misty." "Well," replied Dollie, "I don't see nothing but the perspiration coming down."—[National Weekly.

Doubling Up into One.

Little Boy (to very stout lady visitor): "Wasn't you single before you married Mr. Slimley?" Stout Lady: "Yes, my dear." Little Boy (perplexed): "O, then, when you married Mr. Slimley you became double, didn't you?" Stout Lady: "Oh, no, my dear; we be a me one, as they say." Little Boy (conclusively): "Oh, then you're the one, ain't you?"—[Harper's Bazar.

Couldn't Afford It.

Tramp: "Sir, a single moment." Genial Man: "Well, my good man?" Tramp: "I will be frank with you. I am tired of life and am determined to drink myself to death. I have exhausted my means, and I implore you to furnish the funds to complete my destruction." G. M. (after a careful survey): "My good man, I regret to say that I have not \$10.00 to spare."—[Philadelphia Call.

Family Cares.

She was away with her mother and she mailed an epistle (in her mother's handwriting) to her papa. She had a doll, which, with budding poetry, was named Helen Marguerite, and she wrote: "Helen Marguerite's eyes fell down her stomach and her head fell off, and I'm so sorry. I want you, papa, to go and get me a pair of twins from Mr. I want some babies to play with."—[San Francisco Chronicle.

A Little "Previous."

The Rev. Mr. Unity was quite liberal, but so absent-minded. They were making up a whist party, when Miss Mabel said to him: "Mr. Unity, won't you join us? Mr. De Beers is going to take a hand and be my partner." Mr. Unity wakes up with a start, and looks everybody up by remarking: "Isn't this rather sudden? Have you got a license?"—[Lowell Citizen.

Peculiarity.

Charles Lamb's rebuke to a man who by self-assertion pronounced himself devoid of any peculiarity ought not to be omitted. "Which hand do you blow your nose with?" inquired Lamb. "With my right hand, to be sure." "Ah!" said Lamb pensively, "that's your pe-pe-peculiarity. I blow mine with my handkerchief."—[Chambers's Journal.

Not His Size.

A Boston young man who was deluged by his sister to buy her a pair of corsets, No. 8, went into a large dry goods store the other day, and with some hesitation and nervousness asked the salesgirl who presided over that department for the desired article. "The girl sized him up a moment, and then replied: "They won't fit you, sir. You'll want two sizes larger, at least."—[Boston Post.

Reasonable.

Isaac: "You can have dot hair of subscribers for fifty cents. Of you dakes two hair I lets you have them for seventy-five cents, or I gits you your hair for a dollar." Customer: "How many pair will I have to take before I got them for nothing?"

A Suggestive Question.

A little child once asked his mother the question: "Mother, what part of heaven do people go to who are good, but not agreeable?"—[Christian Advocate.

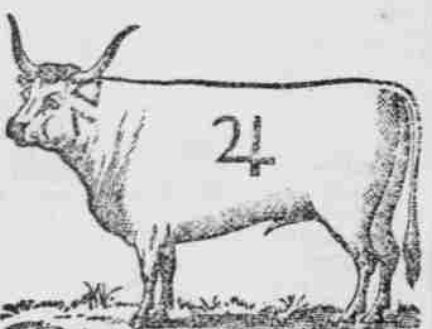
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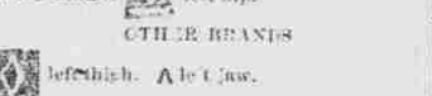
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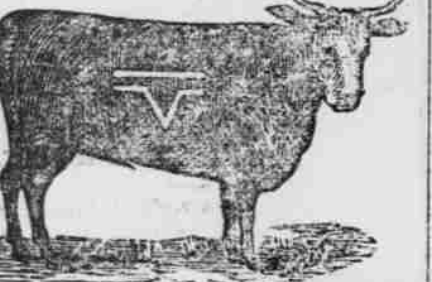
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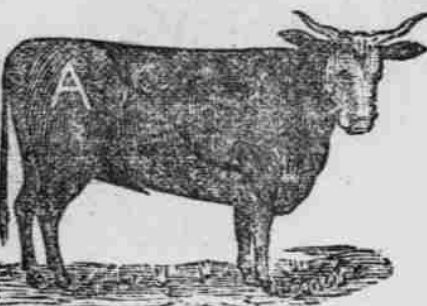


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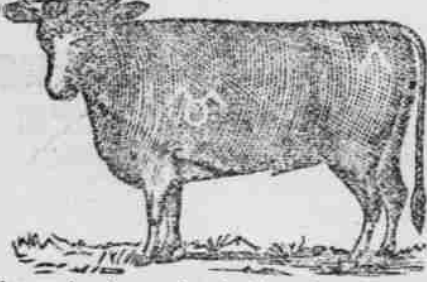


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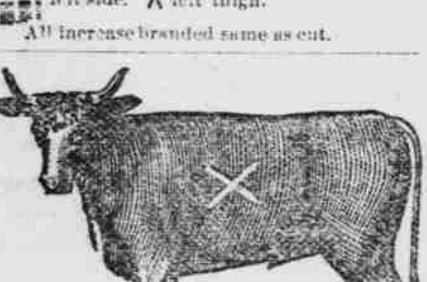
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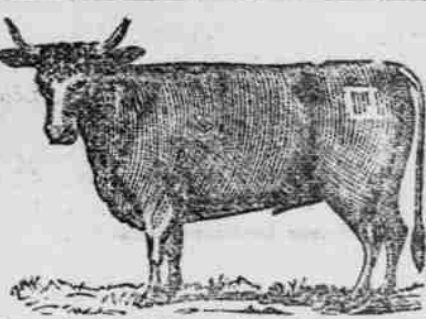
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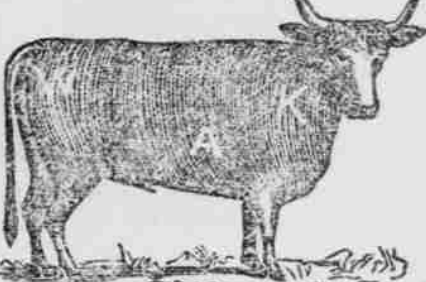
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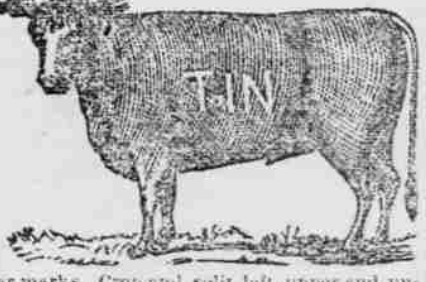
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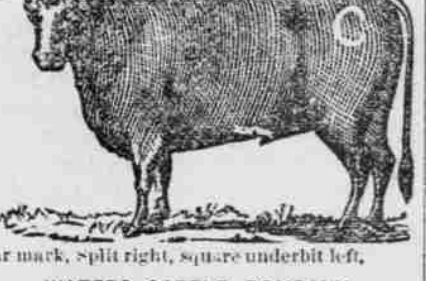
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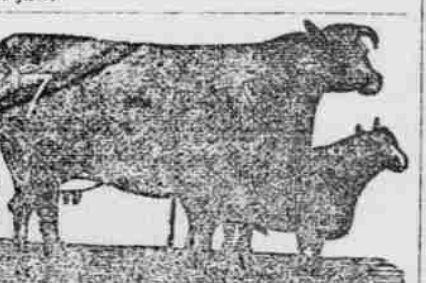
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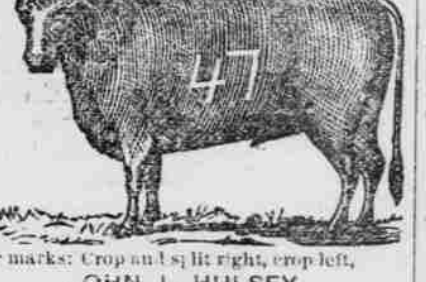
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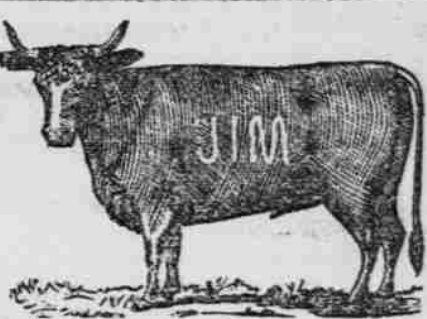
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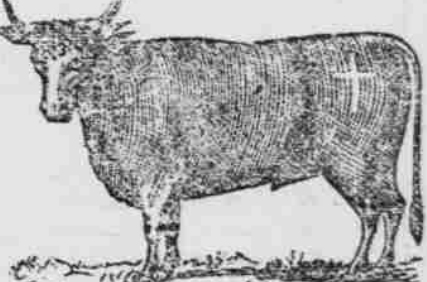
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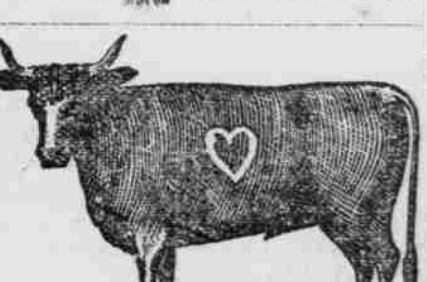
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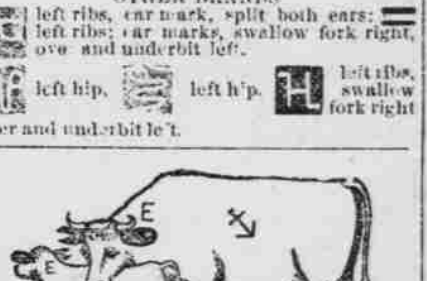
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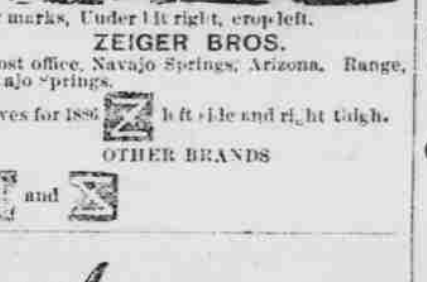
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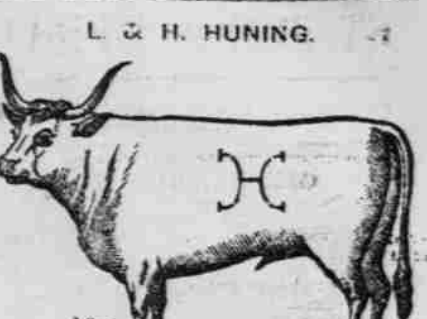
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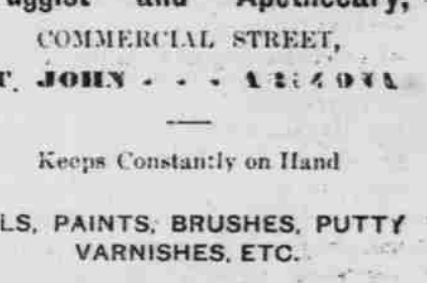
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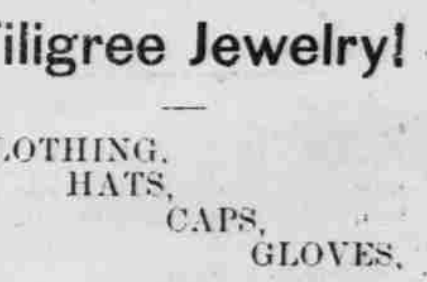
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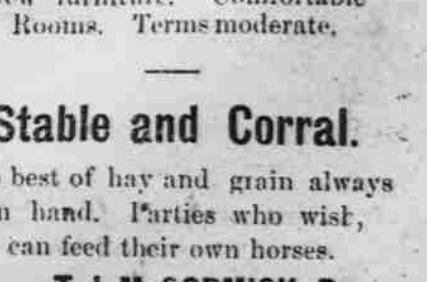
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